This 2 day course will assist health care providers and others develop the skills necessary to provide pre- and post-test counseling to individuals requesting HIV testing, as required

#### **OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion, participants will be able to:

- Discuss serologic testing for antibodies to HIV;
- Present pre-testing information to those requesting the test;
- Counsel clients with seronegative and seropositive test results using the guides presented in the course;
- Discuss and arrange for the notification of sex partners to clients with seropositive test results.

#### **FORMAT**

Lectures, audio-visuals, role plays, discussions, and videotape demonstrations. References and handouts will be provided throughout the course.

### **DURATION**

2 full days; 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

# **CLASS SIZE**

Class size is limited to 15 persons. Enrollment priority is given to persons providing HIV counseling and testing services as a part of their employment.

# **LOCATION**

All classes will be held at:

HIV/AIDS Program Yesler Building, 400 Yesler Way 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Conference Room

#### **CLASS DATES FOR 2002**

February 27-28 July 24-25
March 20-21 September 25-26
April 24-25 October 23-24
May 22-23 November 20-21
September 11-12 (in Spanish)

#### **COURSE INSTRUCTORS**

#### **Robert Marks**

Health Advisor Public Health Seattle & King County

#### **Jay Francis**

Health Advisor Public Health Seattle & King County

#### Javier Amaya

Education Program Coordinator Public Health Seattle & King County

#### **CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT**

- Approved for CNE credit.
- Does not meet Department of Licensing 7-hour requirement.

# **FEES**

- \$125.00 payable when your enrollment in the course is confirmed.
- Cancellations must be made 5 days prior to the scheduled course for which you are confirmed. Refunds will not be made for less than 5 days notice of cancellation or for "no shows".

# **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

Complete and return the attached application. **Pre-registration is required.** 

For information, contact Diane Ferrero at (206) 296-4649 or diane.ferrero@metrokc.gov.

⋛ Seattle Class dates Requested: 3rd Floor, Telephone: Position: 400 Yesler Way, Yesler Building, complete and return this application to: Program, HIV/AIDS Ferrero, gency: am e Fax:

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moderate

extensive

you anticipate doing after this training.

number of HIV tests you currently do

Average

Number of HIV tests per month

Knowledge of HIV/AIDS:

Space is limited.

Advance payment is required to confirm space in the workshop.

submit payment with this application.

#### WHAT OTHERS HAVE SAID ...

"So much information and so well put together. The varied educational formats were great."

> "The relaxed atmosphere made it easy to ask questions and explore otherwise difficult areas."

"Although the role plays are challenging, they provide for an incredible amount of learning."

"Lots of great information, even for someone in the field for many years."

"The class is relaxed and comfortable, and the information is easy to absorb. The role

ALTERNATIVE FORMATS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

THE **HIV/AIDS PROGRAM** SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO ALL REGARDLESS OF RACE, NATIONAL ORIGIN, RELIGION, INCOME, SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, MARITAL STATUS, AGE, OR DISABILITY.



# HIV Counseling/Testing & Partner Notification Referral Workshop

"Concise and organized.

Diverse enough to apply to my client population."

# 2002 Schedule

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